

NOTICE.

THE business bitherto carried on in my own name, will, from and after this date, be under the Style and Firm of

CHARLES E. LEGGATT & CO.

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Tw 2169 Tokohama, 10th November, 1870.

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Also a few copies, of the GRAMMAR of the Chinese Language, in two Parts.

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Ē	No. 4091。			KONG, THURSDAY, 15TH DECEM	The state of the second	(10) 1000 (10) (10) (10) (10) (10) (10)	PRICE \$25 PER MONTHS
	Arrivals.	Banks. I FONGKUNG & SHANGHAL BANKING	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE	PUBLIC AUCTION.	Auction. Public auction.	TYHE Offices of the Undersigned, and His	Inimations. SIGNOR PELLICO'S CONCERT.
	14, EDOUARD & MARIE, Ned. bk., 489, I. von der Tax, Saigon November 14th, Cape St. James 19th, 8,200 piculs Rice,	LI CORPORATION.	COMPANY, LIMITED	THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auc-	- THE Undersigned has received instructions	L. Netherlands', Mujesty's Consellate, have this day been REMOVED to Queen's Road.	CIGNOR PETLICO has much pleasure in .
· ·	and 1,018 piouls Lead.—Wm. Pustau & Co.	👣 🌡 a silan silan sa <u>sa sa sil</u> an aiki ka Silan sa	ORDINANCE, No. 1, OF 1865.	the 15th day of December, 1870, at noon,	O. S. N. Co. to offer by Public Auction, On the 9th January next,	No. 42, formerly Mossrey Lane, Crawford & Co.'s Auction Rooms EDUARD SCHELLHASS Co.	GRAND CONCERT
		Deputy Chairman—Honsix, R. Rowstt. E. R. Schlor, Esq.	The Honble, H., B. Gran, of Mesers, Gibb. Livingston & Co., (Chairman).	At his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,— An Invoice of STATIONERY, comprising Ruled and Unruled LETTER PAPER.	(if not previously disposed of by private Con- truct).— The Company's Iron Paddle-wheel Steamer	1- 1w.2157 Hongkong, 12th December, 1870.	in St. GEORGE'S HALL. City Hall Buildings, on the Evening of TUESDAY, 20th instant, being the Centenury of the
		- Francisco Read.	E. A. HITCHCOCK, Esq., of Mears, Olyphant &	POOLSOAPS, NOTE PAPER, SEALING	Register tonnage of Ship	ORIENTAL HOTEL.	BIRTH OF BEETHOVEN. STOROR PELLICO will be assisted by the
	Depurtures.	Hongkong—Victor Kresser Esq.; Chief Manager.	A. MacG. HEATON, Esq., of Messre. Douglas. Lapraik & Co. EDWD. ARTHUR, Esq., of The Chartered Mer-	Cases American TOBACCO, § 10s. Boxes do. do. 5	Total tonnage, 1180 Tons,	Solo Proprietor.	HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY and several other AMATEURS, who have kindly offered their services on this occasion.
Dec Dec	c. 14, Norna, str., for East Coast.	Shanghai—David McLean, Esq. London Bankers—London and County Bank.	w. H. Conurr, Esq., of Messrs, Smith, Archer.	Unste, each 4 dozen Condensed MILK.	Draught of Water when Loaded 14.6 Feet. Description of Engines—Direct action of	BOWLING ALLEYS, BILLIARD ROOM.	Programmes and particulars as to Tickets, Seats, &c., will be given in a future advertise-
De	ec. 14, Panguin, for Macao. ec. 14, Engion, for Singapore. ec. 14, Hana, for Halifax.	HONGKONG.	The Hon. P. RYRIE, of Messes. Turner & Co. J. MUREAY FORBES, Esq., of Messes. Russell	RUGS, Table COVERS, FLANNELS,	A complete inventory can be seen and particu-	RIFLE GALLERY, MUSIC RUON,	mont. 2177 Hongkong, 14th December, 1870.
	ec. 14, BRITAIN'S PRIDE, for Saigon.	On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits.	A Co.	TURNITURE and Sundry other GOODS. TREMS OF SELE.—Cash before delivery in	lars obtained on application to the Anctionedr. TERMS OF SALE:—Half Cash on fall of the	NEW BED ROOMS,	KO SHING THEATRE. A CHINESE THEATRICAL PERFORM-
	Clearances.	For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum 6	HEAD OFFICE AT HONGKONG.	Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.	hammer, the balance on completion of Transfer. Transfer Expenses to be borne by the Purchaser.	INDO CHINESE SUGAR COMPANY,	Dose Actors, will take place in the above Theatre.
	AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.	Loual Bills Discounted Credite granted on approved Securities, and	N. J. EDE, Esq.	2176 Hongkong, 14th December, 1870. PUBLIC AUCTION.	CHARLES H. MORGAN.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	ut Queen's Road West, for seven days and a nights, commencing from 14th and ending on the 20th December. Sunday excepted. All
Ca	rederic Tudor, for San Francisco. 2rl Ritter, for Chefoo.	every description of Banking and Exchange mainess transacted.	THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CRIMA.		UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY.	HAREHOLDERS are bereby notified that	I neters of this Company ure well-known for a
Pi	cciola: for Iliolo.	Drafts—granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.	Switow, Mesara BRADLEY & Co.	I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their New Sales'	OF CANTON.	Articles of Association of the Company the	formances will be performed with great success. First class Seat One Dollar.
,	Passengers.	VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation,	Ningpo, DAVIDSON & Co.	Rooms, Queen's Road, TO MORROW, the 16th instant, at noon,—	NOTICE. CHARE No. 92 bas been placed in the hands.		FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.
	Per Ensign, for Sing pore,— Means, John Edwards, Henry Williams, C.	No. 1. Queen's Roud East: tf 1062] Hongkong, 23rd July, 1870.	Shanghai. Gree, Lavingston & Co., Rinking, , B. Francis & Co.	HATS, NAVY CLOTH, CAIS: Huncy SOAP,	Tenders for the purchase of same marked	d Interest at the rate of Twelve per cents per danum will be charged on all calls paid after	"KWANG-TUNG."
De	rmer, George Richards and Little Minnie, on Francisco Minstrela.)		Chafoo, FERGUSSON & Co.		- the Society's Offices until TO-MORROW, the	The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the Fifteenth day of December	For Freight or Passage, apply to
•	Reports.	OKE TENDERS will be received until TUESDAY, the 27th instant, for the	Yokohama, "SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Kobe, "BROWNE & Co.	An assortment of Gilt and Marble MANTLE- PIECE TIME PIECES.		to the First day of January, 1871, both days- inclusive.	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 2d 2179 Hongkong, 15th December, 1870.
, F	The Ned bark Edouard & Maria reports left	purchase of the Coke made at this Company's Works, during a period of one year commencing	Saigon, HAUSCHILD & SÖRNSEN. Singapore. GILFILIAN. WOOD & Co.	And.	Secretary. 14d 2104 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1870.	By order. A. NOEL BLAKEMAN, Secretary.	STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamship
24. N.1	pe St. James on Nov. 19th, and then had bours calm, after which beavy E.N.E. and E. gales, with very high cross ses; chose the	d from the lat day of January next. Particulars can be obtained on application at	Tientain: JOHN-HANNA, Esq.	And, on Friday, the 23rd, at noon,—	FUR UHRISTMAS.	tf 2136 Hongkong, 7th December, 1870.	"SUNDA," will leave for the above place about 24 hours
Mi wb	indoro Sea and the Strait of St. Bernardino, sere found moderate and variable winds;	A. NEWTON.	THE Company having been established, with its Head Office at Hongkong and Agencies at the several places mentioned above, accepts	The large Blakely Rifled GUN, outside their Praya Premises. 182 Handbone 18th December 1870	MUSICAL ALBUMS. Magic LANTERNS.	CARPETSIII	after the arrival of the next English Mail, W. MACAULAY, Superintendent.
nτ	ossing the China Sea found the monsoon ry strong, with high sea until Piedra Branca,	25d 2105 Hongkong, 2nd December, 1870., THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE	risks and issues Policies of Insurance at the rates of Premium current at the respective	2100 Touksong, 19th December, 1914,	Stereoscopie SLIDES.	A C. S. C.	P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, 15th December, 1870. tf 2180
	enca moderate.	COMPANY, LIMITED. REDUCTION IN RATES ON	Secretary.		Despatch BOXES.	UNDERMENTIONED GOODS,	HEP. & O. S. N. Co. a steamsnip
_	vection Sale To-day.	CHINESE RISKS.	48, Queen's Road, Hongkong, 26th August, 1870. tf 613	the 17th December, 1870, at 2 P.M., At No. 9, Wyndham Street,	ALBUMS. BOOKSLIDES.	also Jaron Ida (attivity)	"MADRAS" will leave for the above place shortly after the
2	J. M. ARMSTRONG. Sundry Articles.	O'N and after the 15th instant, the minimum rate for the insurance against Fire of Chinese Premises in this Colony will be reduced	M VICTORIA FIRE INSUBANCE COMPANY	The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNI-	Glove BOXES.	TATESTRY CARPET.	arrival of the next English Mail. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P& O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
j	IN DE SOUD, THE LEWINDAL WIRTWINS !	to Two per cent. per annum. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	CAPITAL \$1,500,000, IN 3,000 SHARES	SUITES, in Damask Covered Mahogany, Marble-top TABLES, Marble TIME-PIECE, Pier GLASSES, ENGRAVINGS, WARD.	English TOYS.	BORDEBING FOR SAME.	Hongkong, 15th December, 1870. [tf 2181] FOR NAGASAKI AND KOBE.
	it now stands on the bottom of the British irque June Maria. Apply to Captain on Board.	General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited. tf 1997 Hongsong, 14th November, 1870.	OF \$500 EACH. PAID UP CAPITAL \$300,000.	ROBES, COUCHES, CHAIRS, Window OURTAINS ELECTRO-PLATED and	Bubies' SWINGS. Rabies' JUMPERS.	from 40 cents.	THE Russian Steamship "SHAFTESBURY."
	4d 2159 Hongroug, 12th December, 1870. FOR SALE.	NOTION	Board of Directors.— S. D. Sassoon, Esq., (Mesars. David Sassoon,	GLASSWARE, CROCKERY, &c., &c., &c.	Scent BOTTLES.	in the first transfer of the first transfer them.	Captain Aithen, will meet with quick despatch for the above ports.
Z	N Elegant and easy English-made 4 wheel CARRIAGE, with puls and shufts for	OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.	y Sons & Co.) J. F. Buxry, Esq., (Messat. Eduljee Pramjee,	Merican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and eriors of description, at	Vanilla BISCUITS.	\$0.50 to \$17.50.	For Freight or Passage, apply to LANDSTEIN & Co.
la i	ingle_horse_or_pairStrong-leather hood,	REDUCTION IN THE BATES OF PREMIUM ON CHINESE RISES	HERMANN MELCHERS, Esq., (Messrs. Melohers & Co.)	purchasers risk on the fall of the hammer. D. L. NORONHA & Co.,	Eivan PLUMS.	VELVET PILE TABLE SOVERS, \$7.50.	FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
Of	ffice. 1w 2158 Hongkong, 12th December, 1870.	N and after the 15th instant, the Minimum	GUSTAV OVERBECK, Esq., (Consul General for Austria.)	2160 Hongkong, 12th December, 1870.	Gift BOXES of BONBONS.	TAPESTRY PILE TABLE COVERS, \$7.75.	"ENVOY."
	FOR SALE, BROADWOODS, COTTAGE GRAND	Rate for Insurance against Fire, on First Class Chinese Premises in this Colony, will be Two per cent. per anoum, instead of three per	Heard & Co.)	NIGHT SALE.	DRAGEES. BIRDS of PARADISE.	PRINTED CLOTH, superior quality, \$6.50.	Berry, Master, will have quick despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to
	A. PIAN 35, made expressly for this climate.	cent, as heretofore. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	THE HONGKONG AND SHANGBAI	L tion, on SATURDAY.	Rosewater ORACKERS. Costame ORACKERS.	ALD WOOL REPS.	OLYPHANT & Co. tf 2184 Hongkong, 15th December, 1870.
Q (Apply by letter, to A. B. C., Daily Press lice, Im 2140 Hongkong, 8th December, 1879	Beerstaires, Victoria Fire Insurance Co. of Hongk ng. Limited, tf 2005 Hongkong, 14th November, 1870.	Auditors.	In their Bales Room, No. 131, Queen's Road,— An Invoice of JEWELLERY, comprising	Floral CRACKERS. Bonbon COSAQUES.	\$1.25 per yard	THE A I American Dauque
T	FEAD PIPES, i in. to i in.	NOTICE:	F. W. MITCHELL, Esq. MATTHEW W. BOYD, Esq.	Gold WATCHES, BROOCHES, BRACE-		BINDING AND LOOPS.	"N. THAYER," Crosby. Master, will have quick despatch for
٠.	L4 Batter TUBES, 21 in to 3 in At L. FRICKEL & Co.	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	(Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China)	Shirt STUDS, Sleeve LINKS, BINGS, PEN- UILS, &c. &c. An Invoice of Electro PLATED WARE,	Prayer BOOMS.	For Cash only,	the above port. For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.
•	1m 2019 Hongkong, 23rd November, 1870. FOR SALE,	N and after the 15th instant, the Company will be prepared to accept risks on First-	The same and was known as	CRACKERS, BONBONS, TOYS, &c., &c.	OAVIARE. OYSTERS in Jelly.	the same of the first that the state of the state of the state of	ti 2185 Hongkong, 15th December, 1870.
•	Es "Tigre".	class Chinese Houses at the rate of Two per cents per annum, instead of Three per cent, as	Secretaries,—	An Invoice of Japanese-CURIOSITIES. do, do, TERMS OF SALE-Cash before delivery in	Pickled SALMON.	WILLIAM PEACOCK & Co., Successors to T. Jones & Co.,	WANTED ON BOTTOMRY. TROM SIX TO SEVEN THOUSAND MEXICAN DOLLARS, for Repairs of
•	Compagnie Francaise." DEBODE, DUBOIS & Co. 2w 2142 Hongkong, th December, 1870.	herctofore. N. J. EDE. Secretary.	THE Company having been Registered under the "Companies Ordinance, 1865," and its Shares allotted, will be prepared to accept Risks	Merican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All, lots,	Spiced OX TONGUES.	45 and 47, Queen's Road. tf 2038 Hongkong, 21st November, 1870.	the British Barque "AZTECS," STEPHEN VARUY, Master, on a voyage from this to
	FOR SALE.	3m 1998 Hongkong, 14th November, 1870.	Shares allotted, will be prepared to accept Risks against Fire, on buildings and merchandise Stored therein, at the current rates, on and after	Auctioneers.		ALEXANDRE BOYER.	Shanghai. Tenders to be sent in to the Undersigned until noon on FRIDAY, the 16th December.
J	JAVELIN," by "Cosseck, out of "Jen-	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE	March 1st, 1870.	2178 Hongkong, 14th December, 1870.	Pine CHEESE. Veal CUTLETS:	SELLING OFF.	BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co., Agents, British Barque" Aztecs."
1	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., 1737 Hongkong, 28th September, 1870.	713HE Transfer Books of the Company will be	pany will be distributed annually as a Bonus smong Contributing Shareholders, propor-	THE Undersigned has received instructions	FRUITS in Noyeau. FRUITS in Brandy.	A LEXANDRE BOYER being about to leave the Colony, has the honor to inform the public and gentry of Hongkong that, from	3d 2171 Hongkong, 14th December, 1870. NOTICE.
: نر	FOR SALE. [THE "FAR EAST DIARY AND CHINA AND	Le Closed from the 15th to the 31st instant, both days inclusive.	tionately to the amount of premis paid by the tiem. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	to sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY, the 20th December, 1870, at 2 P.M.	Pickled PEACHES.	and after the 21st of November, he will dispose of his large and valuable stock of Millinery.	the interest of hir theorem this table
/	I JAPAN ALMANAC FOR 1871," price \$3.50, er Copy. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	Secretary.	t 399 Hongkong, 26th February, 1870,	At his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, To close a Consignment,	Mechanical TOYS.	1 rew Coloured Strikes.	TAUVER, ceased on the 12th instant. The business will henceforth be carried on by the
_	3# 2164 - Hongkong, 12th December, 1870.	HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE	- THE HONGKONG TIME INSULANOR		LIQUEURS.	Coloured VELVETS. French Foulards for DRESSE 3.	undersigned, who hereby gives notice that he will not hold himself responsible for any debts contracted by his late partner.
). :(HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK! COMPANY, LIMITED.	Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1869.		Needle CARBINES and RIFLES. 100 Enfield CARBINES, with Sword Ba-	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	Barage and Fancy DRESSES. Black CEAPES. Black French MERINOES.	GEORGE TAUFER. 2w 2174 Hougkong, 14th December, 1870.
ŧ	NTIL further notice, the Company are prepared to tow Vessels to and from	CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company	THE Transfer Books of the Company will be Closed from the 16th to the Slat instant.	yonets. 100 Short Enfield BIFLES, with Sword	OFFICE OF THE CHINA-TRADERS'	Plain and Coloured FLANNELS. Black ALPACAS and PARAMATTAS.	NOTICE.
		with a list of their contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in corder that the	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	Bayonets. 50 No. 1 Smith & Wesson's REVOLVERS. 100 Lefaucheur 7 in/m. Pocket do.	INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	Ladies' ready-made Black SILK, VELVET and OLOTH JACKETS. A Large Assortment of TRIMMINGS.	'the "Rose and Crown" Tayern, ceased on the
	By Order, G. N. MINTO.	distribution of 20% of the nett Profits reserved for contributors may be arranged.	Hongkong Fire Ins. Co., Limited 31d 2091 Hongkong, 1st December, 1870.		NOTICE is hereby given, that the Register of Shares of the Company will be Closed	Plain and Fancy, for Dresses. A Selection of Fancy OLUTHS, for Gentle-	C. VALERIO, - Proprietor.
_	ti-683 Hongkong, 7th April, 1870.	ber next will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently	HAVE this day executed a Deed of Assign	TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Metican Dollars weighed at 71.7. All Lote,	from the 5th to the 21st day of December, prox. (both days included), during which period no	t. men'a SUITS.	THE VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE
	WINCORPOBATED BY ROTAL CHARTER	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	Plant, Tools, Machinery, Goods, Chattels and Effects to Dayro Bosest Festion Chayrosb,	with all faults and errors of description; at purchasers risk on the fall of the hammer.	By order of the Committee, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	Gentlemen's ready made SHIRTS. Gentlemen's Fancy COLLARS.	COMPANY OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.
, ,	HIB MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE PIEST. A.D. 1720.	tt 1296 liongkong, 8th July, 1870.	Esq., as a Trustee for all my Creditors DAVID ILLINGWORTH. Hongkong 1816 November 1870	a control of the second	24d 2037 Hongkong, 28th November, 1870.	Ladies and Gentlemen's White Cotton SOCKS and STOCKINGS:	MOTION TO SHAREHOLDERS.
•	Agenta for the above Corporation, are	MAHOMEDBHOY DAMA & Co., had been	NOTOF	2120 Hongkong, 5th December, 1870.	OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	Gentlemen's Coloured SILK SOARVES and NECKTIES. French Coloured MUSLINS.	THE Transfer Books of the Company will be Closed from the 16th to 31st instant, both
_	repared to gravi Insurances as follows:— MARINE DEPARTMENT, colores at current rates, payable either here.	formerly carried on in Hongkong and other places in China in the name of FARAL MA.	of the STOCK-IN TRADE, Goods and Chartels	PIME Undersigned has received instructions	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	Plain, White, Striped and Checked MUS- LINS. Plain, White and Grey LINENS.	Secretaries.
'n	"London, or at the principal Ports of India,	as FAZAL MAHOMED DAMA & Co., will from 7th day of December, 1870, be carried on in the	of Mr. D. ILLINGWORTH, with the Interest in the lease of the Premises. West Point, wherein	Storekeeper, to sell by Public Auction, on		Fancy Coloured LINDSAYS. Coloured OHINTZ for SOFAS, &c.	27d 2115 Hongkong, 3rd December, 1870
	FIRE DEPARTMENT, colidies issued for long or short periods at urrent rates.	named of MARONEDBHOY DAMA & Co. the	Public Auction on the 11th January, 1871, at	the 21st December, 1870, at 11 o'clock A.M.	above Company will be held at the Head Office, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the	Printed PERCALLES. Ladies Trimmed and Untrimmed HATS and	Notices to Consignees.
P	LIFE DEPARTMENT.	Hongkong, to sign in the name of our Firm from the above said date.	published. Proposals for the purchase of the	Sundry Naval and Victualling STORES, comprising Old IRON, Old STEEL, Iron CASKS, Tin and Metal CASES, Old IRON	, 21st December, 1870, at 3 o'clock F.M., for the wurness of receiving the Report of the Com-	Linding Fancy Lace SHAWLS.	BARQUE LOCK KEN, FROM GLASGOW. CONSIGNEES of Curgo by the above vessel
1	HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. 1927 Hongkong, 1st November, 1870.	Dated at Bombay, 10th November, 1870. 15d2i33] MAHOMEDBHOY DAMA & Co.	All persons having claims against, and all	HOOPS, Old Tin GEAR, Cooking UTEN, SHS, BUGS painted and tarred, BUNTING,	to Blat October, 1870.	Ludies' and Gentlemen's French Kid BOOTS. Gentlemen's high Grey FELT HATS.	of Lading for countersignature to the under- signed, and to take immediate delivery of their
•	WONG HING LEE,	door but one to the Hongkony Dispensary; the	parties indebted to the said D. Intringworth It are requested to furnish particulars of their to domands, and to pay the amount of their	LIGAUM VITA, Old GLASS, LEATHER, INDIA RUBBER, CROCKERY WABE, Bis- rouit BAGS, CASES, STAVES and Heading	AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,	Ladica Coloured BELTS; Plain White Linen and Embroidered	Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel
	HAVANA AND MANILA CIGARS, TOBACCO, &c.	Stock will be found to consist of a Choice As-	respective debts to D. R. ORAWFORD.	PIECES, Man TRAPS, Ac. BISCUIT, SLUSH, PORK: BEEF, FLOUR.	A.E.O.B.G.E.	HANKEROHIEFS. A great and variety of Flowers for BATS	will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. ABNHOLD, KABBERG & Co.,
_	OSMOPOLITAN PAMILY HOTEL,	The second of th	Trustee of the Estate and Effects of the said D. Illingsworth, 55d 2046 Hongkong, 18th November, 1870.	Principal POTATOES, BAISINS, TOBAC	Set in the GUN: SMITH: Angeles in the Committee of the Co	and BONNETS. Ludics and Gentlemen's UMBRELLAS. Gentlemen's STIOKS.	tf 2162 Hongkong, 12th December, 1870.
, . , -	Corner of Elgin and Shelley Streets, HONGKONG.	Arrived per steamer ! Elgin.	FUOCHOW ARSENAL	JACKETS, HATS, &C. A.		English Woollen BLANKETS. Small ANTIMACCASSAES.	CONSIGNEES of Cargo per M. M. Co.'s steamer Provence, are requested to send
	LATE MANAGER HONGRONG HOTEL.)	carried on henceforward under the style and	NOTICE.	2 40.H.P. ENGINES	tr 1852 PRAYA CENTRAL. [O.t. 19	French SPRINGS for BEDS, CANOPIES,	in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo
ý	Proprietor.	firm of Ross & Co. (Signed) J. ROSE,	ANTED for the Arsenal, 750 (Seven	A MORTEN ROLL WIRE	Hongkong & Ofina GAS COMPANY. LIMITED.	Imitation French JEWELLERY.	before the 13th instant, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense. C. BERTRAND:
4	THIS new and commodious BOTEL will be Opened on the 1st December proximo. It is situated in a quiet and healthy part of	tf 2043 Hongkong 21st November, 1870	Wood according to designs and specifications deposited at the office of this paper, and which may be had on application.	2 Tons Lin Iron Bolled PLATES.	OTICE.—On the 1st of December, and until further notice, the price of gas will	Black Jet JEWELLERY, for Mourning, &c.	Principal Agent. 2149 Hengkong, 9th December, 1870.
ti	the Town (though within five minutes walk of the Post Office and business section), and is		Also, straight logs of same wood, measuring in all 60,000 (sixty thousand) cubic feet half	Authorn Dollars weighed at All A.	be Four Dollars per 1000 oubic feet, instead of Four Dollars and Fifty Cents as heretofore.	Fancy Wall PAPERS and BORDERS. Fancy ENGRAVINGS, Plain and Coloured.	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
.63	from its situation and adjuncts well adapted to afford a comfortable and pleasant place of so- journ to Families visiting the City. The Pro-	or at current rates, from HONGKONG to SAN	not less than from 25 to 39 long; the other balt of long measuring not less than 30 to 40 feets	2188 Hongkong, 10th December, 1870.	A. NEWTON, Manager. 2m 2028 Hongkong, 17th November, 1870.	the best London and Paris Houses	THE consignees of T PCL over HG, 150 bales Cotton, shipped by Messes. Volkart
p	prietor has had long experience in catering for the public, and will be assisted by Mrs. HOLKES,	PRON SAILING YESSEL, and thence were BAIL to cities in the Enstern States between	The whole of the straight wood to measure.		NOTICE.	REINS and SADDLE CLOTHS.	a Co., of Galle, per S S. Australia, are requested to take immediate delivery from the Company's
1	The willing to absolut attention to the comfort	PORTLAND & BALITMORE on the Atlentic. S both ports included, and between MILWAUKE	Persons wishing to tender for the supply of	from Captain E. M. FREEMAN, to sell by	OWING to new business arrangements, the Power to sign my name hitherto held by	Glass MIRBORS and STORE FIXTURES	hulk Fort William, where the goods are now lying at the risk and expense. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent.
D	PALVATIS, DINING, ROOMS for Dinner- arties will be available.	BUAD Same BAN TO ANOTONO L. This	price and the time required by them to fulfil	FRIDAY.	my friends, Mesera BITWELL BCHOYER & Co. has been withdrawn and cancelled from this date.	17th November, 1870. [tf 2040]	P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, 7th December, 1870. [tf 2144]
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HONGKONG, DECEMBER 15TH, 1870.

erngers latt the office at 10.46.

THE letter which is published this day from "A Merchant," with reference to the application of the "Co-Hong system" to the trade in the interior of the country, is suggestive of and it is by no means unlikely that by several points which are worthy of careful agreeing to a plan similar to that of the Co. consideration. Any practical proposal for a solution of the difficulty which has been so long discussed, cannot be looked upon otherwise than as valuable, as its consideration must | his concert the Centenary of Beethoven's birth, at least have the effect of clearing up the subject, and setting forth its true merits. It cannot be ignored that the thorough appli- of instrumental writers. We understand that cation of the principles of the Tientsin Treaty one of the pieces is to be the immortal must be a matter of very great delicacy; form, but arranged for Violia, Viola, and and if it can be shown to be possible to meet | Violencello, the remaining parts being supplied the difficulties which the Chinese ruise half by the Pianoforte. The immitable tenor song way, it may be fairly hoped something will be done towards the ultimate solution of the Overture to "Egmont," arranged for four perproblem which has so long bailled both merchants and diplomatists.

basis of trade similar to that of the Co-Hong of the programme proposed gives every prosystem would be the most acceptable that master-pieces of the first part. It comprises could be proposed to the Chinese; but it is another Overture (as yet undetermined) still questionable whether it would be as four performers on two pianos, a pianoforte advantageous as could be desired to the be given by the Choral Society, and a number of foreign trader. The old Co-Hong system vocal performances of both Operatio and good was really nothing more than a plan by which Ballad music, including a trio, two ducts and foreigners were permitted to trade on the same basis as natives—in fact, it was a solution of the very problem which we are now endeavouring to solve. The system of trade existing throughout the whole of China, is that of licensed guilds; and, in order to admit Europeans to trade, nothing can be more simple than for the Chinese to license certain Hongs to trade with the foreigners. to whom it is impossible to grant licenses in plainant, and stated that there were thirty-four of whom one was foretold to be the dop insut na two would wiver coins. When this was done the same way, on account of their system of were on night duty, and twenty four on day short space, a prophecy is uttered that when I listened with great delight.—Courter trude not admitting the formation of associa. duty. Un the 18th instant, seven were com- the elder one has succeeded in breaking the tions, to whom such privileges could be ac. pluned of for refusing to work, and punished, yoka of his younger brother off his neck, he livis httsrly useless to lock up younged house. The others refused to work; and were dismissed, is bounded have the dominant. Essa, web the because in the morning you are such to find the corded. The so-called Co-Hongs were mere their places being filed up by a new lot. On the eldest, and Jacob the younger, of twins, door belted. The discharged of the discharg privileged to trade with foreigners, and for a long time the old plan was found to work sittis- miled, and except the defendants now charged be worthy, bonorable and rational members up a short time back as a Commissioner to bin. factorily enough. The weak point, however, all bud gone. Complainant charged these men of the Anthropological, and Ethnographical quire into the conduct of a Junior Civil Ser was obvious. Though the local officials were They had remained for at least 15 minutes. Des of such a character that it line baffled that i residency. The officer preferred against prohibited by treaty from imposing taxes fendants pleaded that they had gone for their many in their research. And it is at the Civilian were I. Spitting in the face of a upon the foreign traders, they were able to him of which they were worthy. Wifen they less a character than this, that Jehovah had peon; 2 Causing the public triangles to be tax the Guilds, and availed themselves of went into the yard complainant ordered the immutably shoren that his son should bave brought to his house for the purpose of flow. the opportunity which was open to them wanted to see the manager, and how were they wisdom was commanded to dwell therein, and natives in an unbecoming way. Mr. Chornhill

in admirably with Chinese customs. All the veratious questions of local taxation would be done away; and if the right of residence coupled with an adjustment of the transit dues, were conceded, there would not be any-Their two smaller GRANITE DOCKS can thing which would cause the local officials longer to stand out against permission being accorded to foreigners to trade in the country. A difficulty, however, arises at the point noticed by our correspondent-which is that at which the Co-Hong system was originally found to be defective. The mandaring would be likely to abuse their privilege of taxing the Guilds, and would heap on the duties to such an extent that in the

> But against this, it has to be borne in mind that the abolition of the Co-lione has it, as was anticipated, prevented the Chinose from forming themselves into Guilds, local officials obtain large contributions from foreign trade actually in the Treaty portar having been established, the natives generally are as little able to trade with Europeans as ever. It is true that a larger number come to foreigners' offices to buy and sell produce; but they are for the most part that protection against the gross insult which of the cogitations thereof : now all men, who merely middle men, and there is not one of them who is not either a member of one of the Guilds, or has not an understanding with them. Thus the abolition of the Co-Hong system has produced little or no good in the direction in which this was anticipated; and it is indeed quite a question. whother the old plan, which brought the foreign merchant into direct contact with substantial Hong morehants was not on the whole more advantageous than that at present in force, which introduces them to a swarm of go betweens, who have tended very | we have already attained in the way of trading | ingenuousness. little to enlarge the trade, while they have

Co-Hong system produced any more evils so far as the development of trade is concerned than those under which it suffers at the present time; and if such is the fact, there are good grounds for doubting the advisability The reason why the Chinese would be willing of forcing the Chinese to agree to a system which will not fit in with their own, when with the treaties, seems to me to be very simple, probably all the advantages that can be In the one case, they could squeeze the trade. secured by doing so could be equally well obtained by a plan more in accordance with would be allowed to trade with loroignors; and be made by the officials unous --the guilds dealing in foreign goods; but experience seems to prove that the only practical remedy for this is the buoyancy of the the advantage of proposing to the Chinese Gotrade, which by causing a large number vernment a basis of trading in occordance with to become interested in it, itself produces obtaining their consent to an extension of coma check upon extreme local extortion on the mercial relations; but it is essential that before part of the officials, though in respect to giving up any of the righte already conceded to taxes imposed in transit, the same principle us, we should be quite clear as to the results of so doing. I would beg to suggest that, it such will not come into play, because, although in an idea as the one mosted be acted upon, the aggregate the amounts thus charged are care should be taken to do so in such a way observed what appeared to be the entrance of enormous, they are not sufficient at any as special and temporary, and that it should running several tens of it in length. These given place to cause opposition on the part be distinctly understood that, after the hapse of mountains are quite barren, only covered with given place to cause opposition on the part of the trading classes. If we could succeed in getting foreign goods into the interior of the graph of the graph of the graph of the trading classes. If we could succeed in getting foreign goods into the interior of the graph of the g the country free of any further transit taxes than those agreed to by Treaty, it is probable that the influence of the local traders would be sufficient at least for some length of time to prevent the trade being too severely taxed Hong system, the desired object might be

Signor Pellico bas chosen for the night of and it is in every way pleasing to find that his programme in appropriately to consist in grant part of selections from the works of that King sentett, not, it is true, in its original Adeluide," is to be played on the Violencello with Pianoforte accompaniment, and the forniers on two Pianos, will also be given. Signor Pellico will also sing a baritone song by Beethoven, but bas not yet fixed on the There can be very little question that a particular one. The miscellaneous portion solo, a violin and piano duet, two part-tongs to have premises that are underiable. Unless islands in front of us, and at midnight we tion of law even where the armies of the enemy

> POLICE INTELLIGENCE. BEFORE JAMES RUSSELL ESO. Dtormber 14th, 1870.

A COOLIE STRIKE. works at the Sugar Refinery, Estat Point, made Rebekah, (Isaac's wife,) and that two manners round the undience with a glass plate in another appearance at the Magistracy as come of people were to be separated from her bowels; hand, into which every one of me or men working in his department, ten of whom tion, the younger, was to be the Lord; after a the girls gave as some beautiful songs, to which these men to go away, or a policeman would be nutions, that is to say, if we are going to a member of the Board of Revenue, was sent with not leaving the promises when ordered. Societies, we meet with a great complication vant in one of the North-Western districts of

the Guild system, and the increasingly op- the seams of the upper floor in the compancy ling the right of a cession, and the privilege of pressive taxation imposed by the local Man-lot the defendant, on the goods and chattels withdrawing. pressive taxation imposed by the local Man, of the complainant, as hawker, who lived diaring. The results, bowever, have been far the continuous which were formed; and the point for consideration with regard to trade in the interior, is whether the adto trade in the new point of the form the continuous point in respect to an extension of complainant, as are the sund of the complainant, as the local distinct of the bows o

fault, three hours imprisoning t.

towards Seen Alcen a young Chinese female, calling and answering to one another with who in the enphemism of the colony lives under tropymeb at want of sympachy. protection, or in concubinage with a European. have given a much more severe sentence, in a some other federal head. repeat His Worship's remarks to the Court, to and will serve him who chose Israel for his in- were some; but it was hiways possible that the means of arrangements with the Guilds, the the effect that the severest punishment would her itance with one consent then it will be found always follow when the use of such or similar that that apportun of Bacon but perished,

language should be proved. The Chingae in I wherein he observes: longs bad a legal status, and thus would receive the phrases used on this occasion were intended

THE "CO-HONG SYSTEM" TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." SIR,—I observe it is suggested in an article in the last number of the Overland Trade Report, that it is possible a solution to the question how foreigners can be permitted to trade in the interior of the country may be found in a re-Hong system, which existed in the early days, enter my first premise, it must be stated that certainly done much towards diminishing its consequently the local officials would be more dance or in consequence of a superior safety and respectability. - It is thus an open question whether the foreigners should have the right of trade and billiardballain a fluke - and this shows that there

treaties are based.

jections to such a plan being put into operation! to accept the Co-Hong system, while they object to an extension of foreign trade in accordance In the other, they could not do so. By the Co-Hong system, only a limited number of nativas greatly shackled, if it would not indeed by regular old sticks in the mud, instead of being bortly extinguished altogether. No doubt the native system would tend greatly lowards

but it is to be foured there are some weighty ob-

Your obedient servant. Hongkong, 14th December, 1870.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE " DAILY PRESS! Sig. - In accepting the invitation of your cormy recent communication published under the Rice, firewood, cattle and provisions have all to send of "Europe and her treaties," I will recall to his recollection how Emerson in his Notes on tional mind a tone.

must be a mythical hope,

Geography," it is observed that unless we swillows in a low tone, and embraced each are sgreed, as to the credibility of the bis rother arms like mandarin ducks, from which we are going to take our at noon on the Sth day we passed an iron

the conclusion of the manager and low were they without seruple. The result of this was that, or the conclusion of the manager and low were they to see the manager and low was the to see the manager and low were they to see the manager and low were they to see the manager and low were they to see the manager and low was the to see the manager and low which they were they to see the manager and low was the them to see the manager and low which they were they to see the manager and low as the tails the see them in the period they had been the the the they be the them to see the manager and low as the tails the see the manager and low as the tails the see them which they is the seed that the the the they be the them to seed throughout as a spote and and their the control of the manager and the week as the manager and the them to the which that the they be the them to the them the they then the they be the them to conflict them, that the they the control of the them the seed throughout as a spote and and their the control of the thing the control of the them the control of the them the control of the them the proper tails the them the them the them the them the them the them the t

of the complainant, a hawker, who lived Some of those men who have had the leigure. The rapid fall in the temperature vesterday

Chan Kat Cheong, a hawker, charged with selling fish and obstructing the passage into the Western Market, planded that he had the western Market, planded that he had the western Market, planded that he had the message into the western Market, planded that he had the western Market, planded that he had the western which presents the dynasty changes through a successful mulberry true a huge man lying on his back. verify his statement. Fined 10 contain his book which gives both a starting and concluit- gloomy and memoring even for the German ing point, unlike those who dignify it as out along while for Erance at is blick with the nonical, and then straightway refuse to believe threats of chom. The Prussian G remment

The nations may bu kingdoms in an aggret stated, at the conclusion of the hearing, that by welllating sometimes under one head, some-

habitants must understand that, if for their own . Words are generally framed and draw lines and so far from free trade with foreigners purposes of trade and gain it pleases them to of separation, according to such differences as secome denizers of this Colony, they must the valeur can follow, and when a more neute remember that under the laws made for its intellect, or a more diligent observation has governance no one is permitted to insult, or introduced a better distinction, words rebel." abase. or in any way molest, any female what- ... The unification of peoples, hingious, and ever. The class to which the complainant he | nations cannot take place without a unity of thought and that speech which is the interpreter have got their understanding enlarged by travel. have perceived that many languages seem to be bension the other must have of the work in some way wanting in the very means or before it but beneath these artifices, which vehicles by which transcendental thoughts are neutrals, perhaps, understand better than expressed; eva as the individual man a metimes finds ideas floating in his mind, for whith mination not to give in bowever stiff and words can never be found. Thei unification of resolute may be the temper of the antagonist.

> it must be ab extra: As one of the family of Shom, who had the auscitation. in this direction, of the old Co. L.No. I promise, in asking for permission to of our intercourse with Ching. The reason there is not any truth or pitfall intended, and given for proposing a solution of the difficulty, thest it should be over looked the matter-inwhich is admitted to be a retrogression on what wolved had better be stand with the greatest

> rights, is that the Co-Hong system would be in . The allocation of the sons of Nosh, and conformity with Chinese customs, and that the choice of Israela were all in accorresidence in the interior, in accordance with the was approgramme, and that the conclusion will The iden is no doubt, worthy of consideration. This list said lest they one ashould admit the premise, and then repent it when carried to its logical conclusion.

Against this belief in the spirit of prophecy. it is urged that it makes men "grovy," and narrow-minded, also that it tends to mouleate stereotyped thought that it prohibits long serial lights of imagination, and is entirely destructive of all power and ability to frame hypotheses by the grandeur of which the minds Chinese idea. No doubt the attempt would it would of course be under such circumstances depths of their pentination sounded; and forces in the power of the local officials to lay any these, who adopt it to live on a dead and mon amount of imposts they though at a pon the monteresting level with their month bours stances to impose extremely heavy taxes upon traffic; and in the course of time this would in denying them the great pleasures of nively all likelihood result in the trade being at least and change, and surely converting them into

delighted to hear and to tell of some new thing. Your obedient servant, THE CONTRIBUTOR. Hongkong, 14th December, 1870.

PIN'S TRAVELS FROM CHINA TO ADEN, THE RED SEA, AND SUEZ.

On the 4th day of the 3rd moon, we arrived at Adea. Not many tens of di on our right I in a fresh supply here. It was this importance | the present aspect of the place. of Aden as an intermediate station that led the British Government to secure it as one of their military stations. One thing to be regretted respondent, and my querist "F.," in reference to is, that it has absolutely no produce of its own

be brought from elsewhere.

Leaving Aden we proceed up what is known England bore testimony to the fact, with thick as the Red Sea. Here I was it good deal be said he was most forcibly struck, that Eng. amused by quietly observing my, fellow-pass land, her people and her laws, were all enturated sengers. Some of the men's boards were much with Old Testament lore, which seemed to have entangled; while the hair of others; was loose. permeated the land, and to have given the na! Most of their dresses (? dressing gowns) were made of cambrics, resembling those worn by I must therefore say at once that the Bible our actors. I observe that the figures of is accepted by the writer of "Europe and her western men are generally good, and that of treaties," as Theop-neuslic and in no sense An- the temple sex very handsome. The dreases of the warning of the Prussian Government. dros-tic. Being about to adventure the navie the latter were of light silk, the workmanship gation of a most difficult sea, in addition to of which was very fine indeed. They torned good charts and sailing directions, a point of out from their cabina early in the morning, departure is requisite, and a Greenwich or and rested themselves on long ratten couches on Heavenly date that is dependable, or else any the poor, their husbands attending by their land-fail by the way or ultimate complosion sides. After media they (the husband and wife) g neralty walked up and down the deck, bardbeht, no artillery duel, the endurance of The sure word of prophecy, a bright light 100 turns or so, till they got tired; and then shining in a dark place, is my Cardinal Point, laid themselves down on two conches alongside to compose the future. We leave out of eight

data, profitable argument or discussion must light tower more than 10 chang high. On the be impossible. We above all other men must invining of the 9th day we saw a group of we are agreed that Noal; had only three some arrived he Sucz . Early port morning and and that from these, in their generations, put sed up our things and landed in a small spring the nations which divided themselves steamer. We went direct to an immedial hotel where less to say anything on the mutter; since we found four ranges of tables laid out for 150 there is not extant, any other history which of 160 people. We lat down and ate and drank professes to begin with a family numbering much the same he we did on board the steamer eight; items, one old man, one old woman, we had just left. After our weal some instruthree young men, three young maidens, Fol mentul music was volunteered by sight musilowing the account given in sompture, we find cians of both seres, who were in attendance. a promise that from the loins of Abribam I never saw similar instruments before. Lwas should proceed a great nation; and that two told that the musicinus may Edyptians Having untions were pronounced to be in the womb of played three times, one of the girls walked

WAR PROSPECTS. (Times. Oct. 11th)

bought it in the Central Market, and suggestions, prejective which Bacon aptly called thickly scattered over the chart of the indiced interest the Western Market when he was in the contract of the juliced interest of the juliced interest that collected and compared, so as to expise the naked him his reason for so doing. The gaint rested by I.P.C. No. 79 and acrised of hawlong | strong of Time; We trust more to observations | their trust appears to be well-founded. But the history, of the late Emperor replied I am called Ling-che. I require at without license, and produced his master to of the heavens, and acc grateful far an juspired future, though thus responsed by hope, is written and atored among the archives. Among each meal a bushelof rice, which is enough for The Senior Police Magistrate was occupied any part of it that presents itself in antagon; hearing it must be it is a property five hours in re hearing upon peti- ism, or against which they choose to run their consequences that must be instant, bends, for the best of all reasons, that it is a hard defence of Paris, with the intention of absolving Yeong kaw-sun; apprentice to Ch w Aho, in rock to tumble upon, itself from any responsibility for the calculation D'Aguilar street, was sentenced to twenty-one It is not highly probable that the measurers that must then happen. If we imagine Paris that must their happen. If we imagine Paris Orphan of the House of Chao," The plot defended to the last moment—until, in truth, is simple, and may be thus stated.—A vindic in black said, This is truly a min of probity all its resources are exhausted—and after such a good esteem, after various futile attempts at resistance the whole population suddenly good esteem, after various futile attempts at and resolution; he made them give him wine days' imprisonment with hard labour, for of people would ever want to unify; or that they, defended to the last moment—detil, in truth, making use of insulting and obscens, language would ever be found in antiphonal harmony alliteresources are exhausted—and after such a thrown by a capitulation unon the hands of the besiehers, we can not but foresce an accumulation The evidence, instead of relutting the charge, gated form, the writer thinks that of these king of horrors absolutely apparalleled. When the course of time they would succeed in almost was of such a character that tis Worship dome many have often exhibited their ignorance army at Sedan was surrectered it was made a matter of acousation that whole regime its were had the evidence now address been brought times trying to set up for themselves and walk. left without rations for more than a day, and up on the 8th instant, he should most certainly al me, and again uniting, or more often choosing the conclusive answer was that the Germans were necessarily unprepared for the care of such Prologue by the arch villain Tu-ng in-cu thus house of Chao, together with his defunct father

quence for thousands and tens of thousands. war might end as suddenly as it began. A degisive battle, the lethronement of the Emperor, the appearance of the victorious Germans before Paris, the capture of Strasburg, might each have been the end. We cannot any longer decrive ourselves thus : It is now evident that the war will go on to the worst extremities Each belligerent is determined to persevere the one-in attack, the other in defence, unti the strength of the weaker is consumed Each knows how long it will be before this exhaustion is reached, and each tries, by Circulars and Manifestoes, to beighten the apprethose who use them, there is a stubborn deterthe human family, is a transcendental idea, it We have referred to the new Oircular of the cannot be consummated on the Earth ab intra, Pinssian Government. It is all true, but the motive of the Circular is not fir to seek. It describes with terrible force the horrors that must attend the defence of Paris to the last, and repudiates all responsibility for them; but the lowest estimate, of the stores of food in Paris would require many weeks to chapse before the city fell from starvation, and it is an obvious deduction from the Circular of the Government of Berlin that the capture of the French capital will not be speedily effected. The letter of Surgeon-Major Wyatt, which we publish to day, confirms this opinion, when he says "the Prussians have now certainly lost all observed any possible success by assault. principles of free trade upon which the existing be-ordered in a sequence of events of which we for the delay has rendered the place almost are now witnessing some of the scene shifting, impregnable, and sadds his hope that "the available resources, in munitions of food for the labelitants are no great as theyeare of war. for the enemy." A prolong d siege wided by

> pictore presented to the It will not abate one ctof the energy of the defence. The Prussian Government bave done their duty in warning the world of the danger of starvation hanging over Paris, but the full of the city will not be secolerated in consequence. We read their Circular as a praiseworthy but certainly ineffectual, appeal to elements of concession that will not appear in agency to it. We need only read M. Gambetta's Proclamation at Tours to see how such appeals can be turned. M. Gam. betta writes with the vivacity and fire of his Southern blood, but there is no reason whatever. for supposing that he interepresents the enthy siasm in Parist. All the facts that have been reported by independent observers confirm his assertions. What he says is simple enough. If Paris is besieged for a sufficiently long time. it must starve; but, in the meantine, what is the condition of its besiegers P. They are far from their base, and, in seeking to supply the army by the machinery of requisitions, they must donstantly widen the area of their openations, and thus necessarily weakon the strength Chao-fo three things—a cord, poisoned wine, is now passing through the press, and will be some willeys barred by a range of mountains, of their outer circle. It must be the especial and a poignard, leaving him only his choice of barracks by the British Government. This is glowing, if inot fanciful but we place is used as a coal depot; for the distance from bave sindependent testimony that any this to Coylon is over 6400 ff; and vessels would plan of defences of the city previous be short of coals and water if they did not take to September will give a poor idea of the number of 300 persons? Princess, hear the light blue cost, with clear or yellow buttons, a

essertion that the enemy has been prevented from establishing the smallest work, though too broad to be accepted as it stands, is explained be the faut that the besievers did find it prudent to retire from one or two advanced positions which they had informally compied. As I for provisions, it is declared that by placing berself on rations Paris has enough for long months so as to give time for the men of the Departments to guther to her resons. It is thus that M. Gambetta, speaking for the Goenament of Defence, publishes a Manifesto which may be looked upon as the connterpart of the Circular from Berlin. Paris will starve. Before "Puris starves the enemy will by decimated by our arms by hunger and by nature," is the declaration that comes as an undesigned onewer from M. Gambetta at

In the introductory chapter of "Maunder's each other, where they began twittering like the wetchedness of the Departments; the miserv of the the inhabitants of the North East. who have lost all, and depend upon the ill-femulated charity of strangers for the means of life; the perpetual ravage of the Orleannais and have not roached, and will not reach. It enough to moture the reality of the experience that must be idoked for in the coming mouths in that nurrow circle, buying Paris as its centre, to understand how humanity, cries to Heaven for judgment on those whose frimes or whose vices bring such awful misery on their kind. And nothing can be done to avery this ! future! " We can do nothing," save the English Ministry. "No one can do naything," is the echo that is ban'd turoughout Europe; they must fight it out " " Why must they fight it out ?" sak the Germans : "we are ready and even anxious to make peace. I desired peace, and found a resolution for war, I is the testimony of M. Parra. . Let us at least, if we are dapable of nothing more, refuse to be bogulled by delusions. The belligerents must fight it out bepause each insists upon conditions of peace to which the other will not consent. Wo must have Alesce and Lorrainc Wie the demand of the Gorman leaders, while France inclawers men returned. Buth Mr. Smith and himself told stry to trace out the rainfications of these draw Alles warm states without Mr. G. Thornilli, remains ;" and neutrals are powerless to bring shear together. With exhaustion will arrive fillnt consution of war which in collect beace. When theb will be we know not . It would soon that when Christmas comes, the Message of Pesceand Goodwill among Men nigy find the Fforemost nations in Obristendour proving once more the irouv of the anotent purase. " See how tueso Christains love one another.

THE DRAMA OF THE CHINESE. Jollings from the Far East," in the London

the most favourite distance and those to be found eix men. My master not being able to maintain in a collection named "Yuen Gin Po." composed into has turned me out of doors, and if I should between A D 1280 and 1333, during the Xnonk take any of these mulberries to out he would dynasty. They number one hundred plays, and easy I stole them. I lie therefore on my back occupy forty volumes, from which one drama with my mouth open; the mulberries that fall may be selected as a fair specimen of the rest into it I swallow; but on for those which I fall It is called "Chio shi on-ell, or the Little beside I would rather die of hunger than out assassination, sacceeds in hounding his enemy had eaten, wentraway without saying another from Court, kills his only sommand contrived word." the massicry of three hundred persons connected Finally, Celestial dramatic justice is fairly with the family. Out infant alone escopes, distributed by the Emperor, who is made acwho gives name to the tracedy; and the adven- quainted with the nefarious transactions of his tures and final revenue of this surviving orphan | Minister, and who orders the cutting of Tu-

make up the text of the play. A "sie-tere" or inguin-on into 3,000 pieces, the enobling of the system has not really deprived the Mandarins only insulting and obscered, but of each and grandfather, and the conversion of the tiger, yet the trade, nor racter as to be dangerous, as they were obscered, but of each ache only insulting and obscered, but of each ache of the tiger, yet the tiger, yet the tiger, yet the tiger is always meditating evil faithful physic, an into a generalisating.

A day will come when the nations will be quence for thousands and tens of thousands are the track. Thinks of the tight is always meditation to the tight is always meditation.

A day will come when the nations will be defined to the tight is always meditation to the tight is always meditation to the tight is always and the prological than the when opportunity serves, one is sure to repent conveyed in such terms as at first appeared to gethered for the express purpose that the There has been no moment in the history of it. I am Tu-ngan-on, first mandarine of war attach only to the woman. He had examined kingdoms may be assembled; at least so the the war when the prospect of misery was so in the kingdoms of Tain. The king Ling-cong, the war when the prospect of misery was so in the kingdom of Tain. The king Ling-cong, the prospect of misery was so in the kingdom of Tain. There has been no moment in the history of it. I am To-ngan-on, first mandarine of war THE EFFECT OF WAR UPON ENGLISH and obtaining a monopoly of the traffic. It the Ordinance, and found that he could not spirit of wisdom has uttered; after that and dark and murelieved as now. Hitherto we have my master, had two men in whom he placed is notorious that at the present day this The Interpreter, Mr. Be lell, was instructed to people will be turned to a pure language, end was not for off the war upon trade in this country, says: thut is myself. Our employments have made us priceandversely, but when hostilities are brought accomplish it. Chapto, the spa of Tun, married | deration, may surely be looked for. Then will the king sidniguter. I ordered an assassin to spring up industrial activity in every branch, compalace, and kill bim. This wretch, endeavouring of intensity. France must come out impoverishencourage the husbandmen in their labour; he come bel creditor. She will want, money, my master, a present of a great dog, named Shin's supply them incomparably superior to that of ugue. His majesty gave this dog to me and I any other. We must, therefore, in any more or formed a design to make use of him to kill my less realization of these eventualities, be predays. I had placed at the bottom of my garden larger supplies of carrency, a diminution of the a man of atraw, dressed like Chao, and about stores in the Bank, and a rise in the rate. All figure the entruits of a sheep, I took my dog, I are of course, to be accepted as suggestive only, showed him the entrails, and let him loose; he not conclusive. It is well, nevertheless, to be soon tore in pieces the main of straw. I shut prepared to meet such probable contingencies." bith up ag im, Feaused him to fast, brought him back to the same pince; as soon as he saw a fresh man of straw I had erected, he fe'l a bark.

> vonred the entrails as at first. This exercise which I went to Court, and said to the king :-Prince there is a traitor here who hath cyil quired who the traitor was. I answere | The dente by fire. The Democrate thus assembled dog which you unnighty hath given me knows bim. The king discovered great joy. I brought him to the king; Chao tun was standing by in quest from him a statement of the reason why his usual habit. Assoon as Shin-ngao saw him he set to bark. The king hade me let him Loose. siying, 'Is not Chantun the traiter by I let the What Mr. Gladstone will do then remains to be dog go; he pursued Chao tun, who tan away all seen. His most sensible course would be, perartillery, but determined by famine, is the about the royal ball: by ill luck my dog ran hape, to sek the deputation to call again in the against a mandarine of war, who killed him | morning; but the Democrats will naturally re-Chao-tun fled out of the palace, and would have ply that by adopting this course their deputamounted his chariot and four horses but I had | tion would tole all the advantage of the effect caused two of the herses to be taken out, and of the torches. A deputation coming to Downone of the wheels to be broken, that it might ing-street at twelve o clock in the daytime with he of no use. At this juncture appeared a stout torches would look ridiculous. Thus pressed, fellow, who supporting the chariot with his Mr. Gladstone will probably any that, among shoulder, and beating the horses forward with other reasons for his abstinence, England is not his hand, opened a passage into the mountains, quite prepared to go to war with Prussia. It is and saved the life of Chao tun." And who was true, he will add, she has a powerful fleet, but this stout man? The very same whom Chira-ton the difficulties in the way of sending that tohad brought back from the gates of death. Imme lintely I canned to be managered all the surmountable. It will be well if the meeting family and domestics of Chantum, to the number of \$00 persons. There only remains Chaoto, with the princess, his spouse: but as he is the king's son-in-law, it is not proper to put A PAISLEY ROMANCE OF REAL LIFE. him to death in public; nevertheless, persuaded as I am that to prevent a plant from shooting out again one must pull up even the smallest root, I have counterfeited an order from the that unhappy son of song in Mr. Hunter's

ing; I loosed him, be tore the phantom, and de-

king, and have sent, as from his majesty, to " Life S udies of Character," a volume which the mandarines of arms and the mandarines of young Fulton, the only difference between the poet letters, should bace deceived the king, and and his compeers was a difference in dress and caused him to put to death our whole family to walk. Tunnahill generally wors a short tailed last words of your husband. If you are delivered buff waistcont, light cashmere breeches buttonof a daughter I have nothing more to say; but | ed at the knee, white stockings, and a white if it prove a son, I give him a name before he is apron round his waist. His shoes, which were born I would have him called 'The Orphan of always, brightly, polished, had double ties,

one day revenge his relations." A messenger, from the king enters and says: No. 6 in the Queen-street of Paisley. "I have Libring from the king a cord, poison, and a looked in at that window many a time." Fulton poignard. I have orders to deliver these would say, "when Robin was wearing there. presents to his son in law, who may have his He was the prettiest shuttler I ever saw. There oboice of these three things, and after his death | was an evenness in the way he pitched the shot-I am to confine the princess his wife, and to from which he never varied, and he had a weeconvert her place into a prison. The execution | box on the top o' his foom in which he keepit of this order must not be deferred a moment. his writings, and he had a slate that hung on am now arrived." There being no escape, his loom-post. I have seen him take that alate Jino to repeats to the princess the advice last and jot down something on it." given her, then destroys himself with the . Mr. Hunter relates a very ourious anecdote poignard. Presently a son is born to the bereav- of his friend Fulton. The latter served his ed lady, and is named according to his futher's apprenticeship to the weaving trade in a shop wish, amidst the tears and forcbodings of at Paisley, which stood next door to a baker's his mother, who ultimately consigns the in- house. The baker had a little servant girl,

lant to her physician for safety, and to defeat any after questioning strangles, here charmed the young weaver, but he could never self with her girdle. The infant is shut up muster sufficient courage to speak to her until in the doctors medicine chest and conveyed one day when he saw her ruthlessly turned out away, but is discovered by Han-que, who is in of duors to go home to her parents, because command of the soldiers appointed to watch the of a sore foot which disqualified her for workpalace of Chao-fo's vidow. Evidently a good-ing. The lad rose from his toom, and on mak-bearted man, he consider at the escape of the ing inquiry found that her people lived miles bysician and his young charge, but reflecting away, somewhere in the vicinity of Glasgow, he has betrayed his trust, sings a song -his own whereupon he went to the chest which contain roquiem, in fact—then commits suices. The ed all his cirthly goods, took out three halfnews is not long in reaching the ruffien In- growns he had contrived to save, and placed ngin-cu, whose weret fears are thus confirmed. them in her hand, also going for a needly to and who says: "Hath Han que killed himself? carry her to the coach office. After the lapse Then assuredly the oiphan hath been conveyed of many years, during which he had often away. What villahous news! What can be thought but never heard of her, Fulton-now a done? The only remedy that now occurs to ma prosperous business man in middle life—was is to counterfeit un order from the king re- riding one day on the road a little below Parquiring throughout the kingdom that all infants, tick, when he met an open carriage with a lady under half a year old be brought to my palace; and four young girls in it. His horse, a spirited I will pieros them with three stabs of a dagger, chestnut, grow restive when near the carriage. The orbhan will doubtless be of the num- and reared in such a way as it had never done

to bring him to my palace. If anyone disobeys, thereupon asked, "Were you once William he shall be put to death with all his faintly . I Fulton !" Baye be, Ma'am, I was once will destroy all the infants of the kingdom of William Fulton, and I believe I'm him Tain; the orphan shall die, and lie unburied, vet." - To which she responded, "Ob, Though he were of cold or previous stories he shouldnot escape the edge of my sword." Dodotduring had read or heard of that other moneter so like himself, Herod, King of Judgen, who, 1,300 years before, had in a similar ruthless manner ordered the butchery of the children of family to day in the Black Bull Inn. Glasgow. Buthlebem. But Tongan ou's scheme is not I'll tell you." Oh. William, how kindly I have only defeated, but the yery infant whose life he ! thought of you! The thought has often kent desires no unknowingly adopts as a son, with my heart up when difficulties seemed about to the daithful old physician to act as his guardian; joverwhelm me." "Mr am," said Fulton, " ['11 so that under the happeat, anspiced for the just turn and gae back wi you;" and his horse altainment of education, health, and influence | walked like a lamb by the side of the carriage

die before the secret is revenled to the orphan, so be paints the whole of the past melancholy

The Bullionist in some remarks on the effect hat was Chan-tun, the other to govern the army, "The war up to the present has not affected encinice to each other. "I have always had a to a close, agrevulsion, sudden in its commencedesire to destroy Chao, but I never could ment; and the reverse of ephemeral in its take a poignard, to scale the well of Chao-tun's i mercial energy in every channel, to a high pitch to execute my orders, beat his own bishins out |ed. if not exhausted, She must turn to foreign against a tree. One day Chao-tun went out to mations, and England, fore nost of all will befound under a mulberry tree a man half dead food, manufactures of all kinds, and this with hunger; he made him ent and drink as country is in every respect -in financial means, much as he would, and saved his life a About abundance of material, and exuberance of inthis time a monarch in the west made the king, dustry too long restrained—in a position to rival; I shut the dog in a room by himself, and pared for a considerable efflux or the precious. forbade anyone to give him food for four or five metals; activity in all the markets demanding his size. Having put into the belly of this these considerations, referring to the future,

THE RELIEF OF PARIS.

(Pull Mall Gazette.) :The London Democrate seem to have at last bit upon an admirable plan for the relief of Paris. Directly the bombardment takes place they are to hold a torchlight meeting in Palace-yard. Torches in Palace-yard suggest sociare to be called upon to form themselves into a deputation to wait upon Mr. Gladstone to rethe British Government did not earlier interwêne to prevent the bombardment of Paris, Paris seemed, upon consideration, almost inthereupon puts its torches out; and retires or-

derly to bed. The admirers of Tannabill, the post, will find some interesting matter with reference to published at Christmus. There is a photograph gen by that jeulousy which always divides he also lived in after years. In the eyes of Chao. Bring him up with care, that he may whereas other people, for the most part were single ties. He had a statelier, slower walk. I rinceas . "Alas ! you overwhelm me with than other weavers, and always walked on the middle of the street. Tannabill's house was

whose modest deportment and bauty greatly ber, and thus I shall get rid of him. Go, before. The lady gave orders o stop her then and execute my commands. Let this carriage, and inquired if, he was afraid. He order be set up, that every person who shull assured her that he was not; and the horse have a son under six months old fail not stood like a lamb while they spoke. The lady "Oh, William, do you mind giving me three bulf crowns when I left my service in the west and of Paisley?" "Lord, woman," oried Willie. "If you will dine with my busband, myself, and

MISCELLANEOUS. The secretary of a Sheffield money chib has absconded, with defalcations amounting to

All efforts to make hay by gaelight have fulled; but it is discovered that wild outs can be wn under its benign and obserful rays. A correspondent inquires whether the Germans will care so much for the 'Watch on the Rhine now that they have got the great

Strasburg Clock.-Punch. The funds for the velief of the widows and orphans made by the loss of the Captain has r niched £10 000. The Central Relief Committhe at Portsmouth have on their books 108 widows, 330 orphans, and 70 parents of seamen requiring relief, and to most their wants at

lennt £ 6,000 is naked for. It is stated that beer or ale which has become sour from the exidation of a portion of its alcould into acetic unid, may be restored by passing it through a column of vegetable matter pucked in a suitable vossel. Dried grains, wheat, chaff, bran, or similar vegetable substances, may be used as the filtering material, and will be found to retain the soid.

A sad avoident occurred near Leominister. Two young Indies, daughters of the Rev. Joseph Edwards, rector of Croft, were riding in a carriage with two lady friends, when the be seen at No. 47, Wyndham Street. vehicle was accidentally overturned. One of the ladies had her neck broken, and was instantly killed; the younger Miss Edwards sustained concussion of the brain and a broken collar-bone; and the other two ladies were

acverely injured. A few years ago the Duke of Argyll, who is the happy father of a dozen children, put one of his sons in business, contending that the old barrier between the prerage and mercantile life ought to be broken down. Probably he did not then foresee the honour which awaited him. n ir imagined that by taking that step he would be giving a Royal Princess a wine merchant for prother in law. Buth events teach the same lesson. The one that the peerage is seeking to etrongthen itself by alliance with the middle cines; the other that Royalty is seeking to !: strengthen itself by alliance with the peerage,

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. DECEMBER 14TH, EVENING.

The market for Bengal has kept quiet with a small native demand for Patna at \$5671 to \$570; Beneres \$5.15 to \$550, on credit; sales from Chinese hands of this drug have been reported at \$540 cash. The large holders are firm at \$5674 to \$570 for Patna, and \$545 to \$5471 Benarca, cash. The following are the ruling prices:—New Patna, \$5761 to \$570; Now Benares, \$540 to \$5421; Melwa, \$645 to \$650; Patna, 11th sales, on three weeks time. DECEMBER 15TH, MOUNING.

No charge Siles of manufactures continue on the most insignificant scale. Since the mail the followsing transactions have taken places 2,000 pieces 81 Grey Shirtings at \$2.65, 600 pieces at \$2.671; 50 bales 16-24 Yurn, Eagle, at \$110, 10 bales 38-42, Dragon, at \$110; 500 pieces ordinary 71bs. Engle T-Clothe at \$1.90, 1,300 pieces Mexican 3-man at \$2.10; 2,000 pieces 40 yard Drills at \$3.71, 240 pieces American Drills at \$4.0 \(\frac{1}{2}\). 250 pieces Blue Drills at \$3.20; 60 pieces Medium Cloth at \$1.10. In Metals, sales of Iron are being effected to Transactions are 420 piculs Nail rods, 1 to 6, at \$2.50; 8:0 piculs do., at \$2.53; 840 piculs Flat
Bar at \$4.20; 420 piculs Hoop at \$2.87; 420
piculs do. at \$2.67; 680 piculs L.B. Lead at \$5.75; 500 pionls Steel at \$3.25. There is no alteration in the rates of Ex-

hange. Nothing doing since the Mail left.

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.....4/41 to 4/43 Bank Bills on demand,.....4/3 On New York — Private, 5 months' sight On Bombay. Bank, 3 days' sight 2261 ON CALCUTTA. -Bank, 3 days' sight 2261 ON SHANGHAL -

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Bank, 3 days' sight743 Bank, 15 days' sight745

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As reported by Chinese.

cheong-shun to foreign merchant. Vermicelli, 40 bags, at \$6.50, by Wing-cheongwhite Sugar, 260 piculs, at \$6.50, by Wingcheong shon to Japan merchant. While Wax, 3 pieces, at \$182, by Hop-taiwe to Sheikloung merchant. Shanghai Cotton, 60 bales, at \$18.60, by Wolee-yue to travelling merchant. Mushroome, 10 piculs, at \$87.00, by Kwong look-wo to Chuechow merchant. Almonds, 5 piculs, at \$41, by Hing-thi-chan. to travelling merchant, Tin, 100 slabs, at \$31.00, by Hung-fung to Forchow merchant. Calcutta Cotton, 40 bales, at \$17.25, by Parsee merchant to Kwong-hong. Calcutta Cotton, 50 bales, at \$17.40, by Parece merchant to Kin-hing-chang. T-Cloth, 71bs., 300, pieces, at \$2.10, by Wm.

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Hongkong, 14th December, 1870. It is bereby notified for general information. that the Postage on Letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will henceforward be 36 cents for each balf ounce, which may either be paid in advance, or it may be left to be collected on delivery of the Letters. Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. Jeneral Post Office: Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information

that, the Postage (which must be paid in ad-

vanced) upon letters addressed to Prince Edward Island, will henceforward be as follows. When forwarded via Brindisi........... 42 cents each half-onuco When forwarded via Marseilles 36 cents each half-ounce.

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Hongkong, 28th July, 1870. It is hereby notified for general-information that, the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance on correspondence transmitted from Hongkong or any of the Postal Agencies in China and Japan to the United Kingdom, by Private Ship, will in future be as follows, viz .:-FOR LETTERS.

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to the deficient postage.
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Postmaster General. Seperal Post Office. Hongkong, 20th October, 1870. The Spanish Consul baving represented the

F. W. MITCHELL,

annoyance arising from Letters being contrary to Law, sent on board the Spanish Men of War which leave this harbour fortnightly with the Mails for Manila, it is bereby notified that, henceforward, all Letters, except such as are received in the Mails from this Department. will be refused on board these vessels.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General General Post Office.

Hongkong, 2nd December, 1870. It is hereby notified that in consequence of the increasing difficulties, which attend the transmission of the Mails for the United Kingdom through France, it has been determined to send these Mails, for the present, by way of Brindisi, the Brenner Pass, Prussia and Bel-

The rates of postage, which must be paid in

advance, upon correspondence whether marked via Marseilles or via Brindisi, will be as follows. FOR LETTERS. Addressed to— The United Kingdom, 38 cents for each half ounce. The United States of America, 42 cents for each hulf-ounce,

FOR NEWSPAPERS AND PRICES CURRENT. The United Kingdom 8 cents each The United States of America... 10 cents each. FOR BOOK PACKETS AND PACKETS OF PATTERNS. The United Kingdom, under 1 onnce in reight, 4 cents; above 1 ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces, 8 cents; above 2 ounces and not exceeding 4 ounces, 14 cents; for every addi-

The United States of America, 18 cents for every four ounces. F. W. MITCHELL.

tional 4 ounces, 14 cents.

General Post Office. Hongkong, 2nd December, 1870. It is hereby notified for general information, San Francisco via Yol oh ma, January that henceforward the rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance, chargeable upon Book and Pattern Packets posted at Hongkong, or at any of the British Postal Agencies in China

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Hongkong, 16th June, 1870. It is bereby notified that henceforward the chargeable on Packets of printed papers or

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For a packet above 2 ounces not exceeding 4 conces...... 8 and eight cents for every additional four ounces. These rates apply to Printed Circulars, Price Lists, Market Keports, and all printed papers other than Newspapers, as well as to Books f. W. MITCHELL.

Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

tf 1951 Nagasaki, Japan, October, 1870.

T. A. HARRIS, Agent. Hongkong, 13th December, 1870.

General Post Office.

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CHINA AND JAPAN MARINE

Extracts.

A Dest Juror. It there is one thing that arbusiness man dislikes more than another, it is serving as a juror. Visions of empty stomachs and sleeping FTHH liver is a large gland, lying under the on a hard floor while waiting for one of the | | short ribs, on the right side. It is convex t welve to make up his mind, are troublesome on the upper side and concave on the under, and rates. to mon who are not professional jurors. Some is composed of several lobes or divisions. Its men have such a disagreeable way of always office is to secrete bile that is, to separate it wanting to be conted and slobbared over before from the blood. It weight about four pounds, A few days since a broker, whose office is on natural action of the liver, and ultimately to

California street, found himself corraled in the produce calargement, hardening, torpidity. Company, are prepared to grant Policies cover. Twelfth District Court as a jurer. When his and chronic inflammation of that organ. The ing Marine Risks at the Current Rates. name was called by the Clerk, he continued to symptoms indicating liver disease are as gue abstructedly about the room, and think of follows: the rise and fall of stocks. The Clerk was A sense of fulness and weight in the right about to check his name as an absence when Judge McKinstry recognized ticularly when pressed; pains in one or both menced gesticulating with his bands, as much urine; bowels irregular, loose, or costave; red answer to your name." By the aid of an backing cough; shortness of breath; a bad client profits, divided pro role to the not backing cough; shortness of breath; a bad premium contributed.

Only to the broker's ribs, the speculator in describe and contributed. ns to say "Why don't you pay attention, and wains through the eyes; sometimes a dry, answer to your name." By the aid of an backing cough; shortness of breath; a bad stocks was persuaded to look toward the Bench. low and desponding state of mind; the nervous Seeing the Judge miking motions to him, he system much disturbed: disinclination to apply hurriedly rose from his seat and approached the mind, and frequently a great dread of his Honor, when a dialogue something like the imagined orils supposed to be impending. following took place:

Judge-" Mr. ---, your name has been called by the clerk." Broker-" Excuse-me, Judge, I did't under-Judge-"The clerk has called your name; why don't you answer to it P Broker-" Pardon me, your Honor, but real-

ly [did not bear what you said "-(putting his Judge-" Mr. Clerk, discharge that man; be is deaf, and not fit to serve." Clerk (with a voice like a rearing lion, right into the broker's ear). - "What's your name! Broker A" Philander Phlechite," (we will

make him say). Clerk -" Well, Mr. P. Phlesbite, you are too deaf to serve as a juror ; you are excused." With this the clerk is said to have sat down at his desk, muttering about "too much wax in his

The broker lowed politely to the Judge and left the room amidst a polley of broad amiles. On reaching his stamping ground —California street—he was surrounded by a party of brother brokers who congratulated him on his escape, and asked how it had been accomplished. He told them the story, but said he did not see why the Judge showed him such partiality by calling him up before the Bench. He remarked that he was not deaf; never had been troubled with his ears; and had no difficulty in hearing everything that transpired in the Board. This capped the climax, and the party retired for liquid refreshments. Since then every broker in the city has some affliction of the tympanum, and some are as deaf as a post. Fears are entertained that "escape-jury-duty" will become epidemic.—Alla California.

Entlucies respecting Women. (Court Circular.)

The cultivation of respect and courtesy towards our fair betrayers is to be most highly commended and forced, but we claim in this article to assault certain feeble prejudices in favour of women which have their foundation upon romantic rigmarole. For instance, where is there a greater fallacy than in the belief that women weigh nothing? Yet in romance, even disbelieved. "To me, says another, of this modern day, we read constantly of heroes magnanimously rushing off with fainting maidens from blazing houses, or more feloniously "carting" them on to their shoulders for are as plain as they can be." But to this also purposes of revengeful abduction. Let any one our only reply is silence—premising here, how-out of training, or under 6ft. of height and ever, that if our great Perfume depended on away with fairly well-composed girl of eighteen | poor indeed. "Yes, yes!" exclaimed a third; or twenty, and give us his opinion of the prowess of these variated knights. A woman weighing oue hundred and forty pounds, and every ounce dead weight, is not to be chucked over one's are to my sense of smell the marked and easily arm and carried off in the smoke; and a hundred perceptible prevailing perfame in the Florida and forty pounds weight of kicking woman. Water." Well, well, we will not be so rade as hood is not to be carried at all Even a slight to contradict a lady (nearly all these queries | HAMBURG BREMEN FIRE INSURANCE girl will weigh a hundred pounds, and Rudolph are from the ladies), but we simply wonder or Horatio will stagger under her levely but they don't discover the soft and delicious frawalk. There are plenty of buxom girls who weigh up to a hundred and seventy pounds, and it is not given to every man to "hurry off" or the rich perfume of the gorgeous Magnolia. with such a baggage. When the victimized But the truth is, that the many floral extracts Squallina faints on the stage, the robust which enter into the composition of the true haritone takes care that the evanouissement shall be accomplished as close to the wing as possible. He knows what La Squallina weighs by the sad experience of rehearsals. Let any of our readers carry his sister (he will are so exactly and perfectly blended together probably prefer his cousin) up three flights of that it is quite impossible to detect the distincstairs without stopping, and forward to us live odour of any single one. The effect of the his sentiments on the occasion. Women weigh | combination is the most agreeable and refresh-

thing. It is, of course, conceded that they of the MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA sustain life by the consumption of some article WATER. There are others who offer for sale of nonrishment, but enting in the wholesale fluids which they they call Florida Water, but acceptation of the word is supposed to be they possess none of the wonderful virtues of foreign to female nature. This fallacy is found: Murray & Lanman's and buyers should always ed and sustained by women themselves, who, be particular to ask for the Florida Water preducing the affected period of their lives, pared by cultivate small appetites as being comme il faut LANMAN & KEMP, New YORK. and a sign of semi-angelic construction. When this perpicions nonsense is conscientiously carried out, the results upon the would-be angels are squalor, red noses, certain loss of vigour, general limpness, and some other unpleasant sequeles. But, as a rule, the smallest appetites at the fashiousble tables are exhibited by those shrewd girls whose natural and healthy wants. have been thoroughly appeared by secret stuffing. Need we refer our readers to the historical poem concerning. Violante in the Euntry, gnawing of a mutton bone, or remind them how she gnawed it, how she chawed it, when she found herself alone? All this is a direct deceit, however, practised upon unsophisticated buchclors, who, when they have made the dainty creatures theirs, find out by the butcher's book and the ocular proof what sturdy trenchefwomen they have married. Watch a healthy girl at supper, during the intervals of dancing; she consumes by instalments four times as much as her partner, and seems, and is, none the worse for it. We have touched on women's capacity in this direction in a former article, and may therefore dismiss its discussion here briefly by the statement that women eat in proportion to their weight, as much as men, and and all 'Ulcerous' and Eruptive Disorders, are no more fairies in this respect than in the beyond the reach of competition. The world matter of weight. Other failucies regarding knows that its effects in such maladies are, to women are, that they must always have the front seat; that they may strike a man brutally without retaliation in kind; that a man must ride outside a vehicle in drenching rain to "oblige" her, she being a robust, hardy fabric, and he, perchance, a consumptive, cold-catching subject; that she may cheat at cards and not be turned out of a game, that she may, lose her bets but never be expected to pay, that also may be muliciously rude to the opposite sex without having her ears soundly boxed for it, that the may put questions to them regarding private and special matters without being considered impertment; in brief, that she may enjoy all the privileges o men without incurring the attendant responsibilities. All this is monstrous, and we protest on behalf of our own sex against it. The whole question resolves itself into this proposition, that strongth must not be made subservient to weakness The so-called chivalry of the Dark and the Middle Ages degraded woman by During these seasons the human physique is clevating her into a doll, a puppet, who doled subjected to severe trials. It requires reinout a miserable blue ribbon for noodles to forcement, it demands help, in order to withknock each other about for. The Greeks and Romans elevated their women by respecting and dangerous tendency of their political functions, we have lowered our wo-men by letting them dictate to us from a post tion of nonentity. It is a mistake to believe that the Female Reformers, who are at this day atruggling for equality or rights with man, seek to combat with the opposite sex. They ask for equality only, and do not desire to fyramise, which is left solely to those woman who object to move politically, but aspire to conquer men by asserting the privileges of weakness. Men

are good-humouredly contented to endure gross

injustice from wonen, because they are

andurable. In these limits we can only very briefly touch upon a great social question, con-

cerning which an important easay might be

Intimations.

A HEALTHY LIVER.

broker, and called out to him. shoulders and under the shoulderblades; dis-he was not aroused from his re-agreeable or painful feeling when lying on the His Honor spoke again, and con- left side; yellowness of the skin, eyes, and We believe that no medicines offered for the oure of liver discuse have ever had as extensive

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any two single flowers, its breath would be " but you cannot deceive me! OBLIGE FLOWERS AND VIOLETS

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In Spring, Summer, and a portion of Au upon themselves by permitting a latitude to rome, the lives of thousands are in continual feeebleness; weakness indulted becomes a bully jeopardy from these prolific sources of disease, and a tyrant, and in the face of this univer. The best safeguard, the surest defence against ally acknowledged fact, some of us are content | them, is BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA. It to be over-ridden, by butterflies and crushed should be used as a daily beverage or DIET. by pigmies. It is pleasant enough to peta pretty

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FOR SALE AT THE HONGRONG DISPENSARY tf 1580/ 1 20th August, 1870

Insurances. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Com pany, are propared to grant POLICIES against Fire on Buildings and Goods, at current

RUSSELL & Co. tf 366 Hongkong, 7th February, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. they will listen to points of law about which being the largest organ in the body. The ten-Agonts in China for the above INSURANCE RUSSELL & Co. tt 573 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867. YANG TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL. DOLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates. In addition to the usual brokeruge, this Association returns to the assured Twenty per cent.

if 1089 Hongkong, 1st January, 1870. BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE THE Undersigned baving been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company, are prepared to grant Policies gainst Sea Risks at current rates. RUSSELL & Co.

of 1022 Hongkong, Lat April, 1865. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insgrances, viz:and not exceed. 3 ,, 1

Above 3 months) and not exceed- > 6 ,, \$ do. bove 6 months the full annual rate. GILMAN & Co., Agenta, nctive principles of Bristol's Sugar-coated Pills North British & Mercantile Insurance Company. of 696 Hongkong, 7th April 1868.

> THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY THE following rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding 10 days, 1 of the annual rate. Not exceeding 1 month, 1 do. do. Above 1 month and not] exceeding 3 months ...

Above 3 months and not 1 a exceeding 6 months ... EDWARD NORTON, Agent the Queen Insurance Company. tf 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY CAPITAL,-Two MILLION STEELING.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Shanghai. Agent for the above Company at this port, is prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or on. Goods stored therein. EDWARD NORTON. tf 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE GUARDIAN, FIRE AND LIFE AS-

SURANCE COMPANY. 16 NO. 11, LOMBARD STREET, LONDON, E.C. ESTABLISHED 1821. And empowered by special Acts of Parliament. Subscribed Capital - £2,000,000, Sterling. MHE Undersigned having been duly appointed

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COMPANY. TROM and after this date the following rates wil be charged for SHURT PERSON Not exceeding Ten days & of the annual rate

Not exceeding 1 month 2 .. do do Above 1 month, and not) exceeding three months (Above 3 months, and not) doexceeding six months.... Above six months the full annual rate. Wm. PUSTAU & Co., Agents: tf 1687 Hongkong, 30th August, 1889. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. NTH further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, } h per cent and their contents. Other dwelling Houses, used strict-

ly as such; and their contents. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and GIBBULIVINGSTON & Co.. Agents Immerial Fire Insurance Company tf 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865. FORBES & Co.'s, CONSTITUENTS INSU RANGE COMPANY.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies, are prepared to accept risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. if 399 Hongkong, 26th February, 1868. NIORTH BRITISH AND MERUANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached & semi-detached Dwell- | per cent. and their contents. Otherdwalling Housesused strictly as such, and their contents; Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and, their contents. GILMAN & Co.,

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are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored thereon. GIBB; LIVINGSTON & Co. tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864. AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are repared to accept MARINE RISKS, and issue Policies on any First-class Stiling Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of less, in China, Singapore, Culcutta, Bombay or London. ROBT: S. WALKER & Co. tf. Hongkong, 8th October, 1863 PHOENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN

INHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents to the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. ti 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1888.

TAROM and after this date the following rates New will be charged for SHORT PERIOD insurances, viz :---Not exceeding Ten days of the annual rates Not exceeding 1 month 1 do. do. Above 1 month, and not acceeding three months. do. Abovel months, and not) exceeding six months..... Above six months the full annual rate. JARDINE, MATHESON, & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company

tf 678 Hongkong, 26th August, 1869.

11 1851 Hongkong, 7th June, 1667.

at ourrent rates.

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THE ROYAL EXCHANGE ASSURANCE OF LONDON. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire at current BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents, A, Prayo tf 1569 Hongkong, 26th August, 1870. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. LOR Insuring Houses and other Buildings MKOM and after this date the following rates

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Not exceeding 1 month tof the annual rate bours, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships.

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> Chass Risk. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, lat January, 1867. COMPAGNIE LYONNAISE D'ASSU-RANCES MARITIMES.

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The undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above-named Company, are prepared to accept Marine risks foreign or coastwise, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. tf 1377 Hongkong, 23rd July, 1870. THE LIVERPOOL AND BOMBAY TRADERS' INSURANCE

COMPANY.

HE undersigned baying been appointe Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies agains Marine Rieks at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 777 Hongkong, 25th April 1870. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM PANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointe Agents for the above Company at Hong kong Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Har kow, and are prepared to grant Insurances Current Rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tt 1958 - Hongroug/15th October, 1868, LUNDON AND ORIENTAL STRAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE.

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ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE annual rates for Fire Insurance on the - L-various classes of Buildings and their cor tents will remain as follows until further ne Detached and semi-detached)

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Not exceeding 10 days the per cent: Nhb erceeding 1 month 1 per cen Above I month, and not \ 3 exceeding Above 3 months, and not 3 6 Above6 months, the full annual rate of 1 ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents, Royal Insurance Compan tf 1763 Hongkong, 13th September, 1869. HONGKONG INSURANCE COMPANY

MHE undersigned having been appointe Agents of the above Company, are pro pared to issue Marine Policies on the usu terms to the extent of £10,000, on any fire A. G. HOGG & Co. ti 538 Hongkong, 17th March, 1869.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE IROM and after this date the following rate will be charged SHORT PERIOD In

Not exceeding Ten days t of the annual rate Not exceedings I month I of the annual rat Above 1 month, and not exceed. and not exceed. > 6-Above 6 months the full annual rate.

Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Compants 675 Hongkong, 13th August, 1869. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARIN INSURANCE COMPANY. THE-Undersigned having been appoints

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents in Hongkong for the above Com pany, are prepared to grant Marine risks a current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. 17 471 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868, MERCHANTS MUTUAL MARINE NEURANCE COMPANY OF SA FRANCISCO.

Paid up Capital \$500,000.00. THE Undersigned having been duly appoint ed Agents of the above Company, propre pared to accept, Marine Risks on the usra OLYPHANT & Co. tf 1292 Houghong, 2nd July, 1869.

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